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EMERGENCY UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (EUC) EXPIRATION NOTIFICATION

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Dear UIA Customer:

Over the past few months, new federal legislation has changed unemployment benefit eligibility requirements. The Unemployment Insurance Agency (UIA) strives to keep you informed of the changes to ensure that you understand how you will be affected. The purpose of this notification is to advise you that, under federal law, Michigan is no longer eligible for Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC) Tier 4 benefits after week ending June 30, 2012. This means:

- If you are currently receiving EUC Tier 4 benefits, you will continue receiving the balance of your Tier 4 benefits to which you are entitled until exhaustion.
- If you finish receiving EUC Tier 3 benefits on or before May 26, 2012, you may be eligible to receive up to 16 weeks of EUC Tier 4 benefits.
- If you finish EUC Tier 3 benefits between May 27, 2012, and June 23, 2012, you may be eligible to receive up to 6 weeks of EUC Tier 4 benefits.
- If you finish collecting EUC Tier 3 benefits after June 23, 2012, your EUC benefits will end as EUC Tier 4 benefits are unavailable.
- Entitlement to all EUC benefits cease week ending December 29, 2012. This means that the last payable week for all tiers of EUC benefits is week ending December 29, 2012, regardless of the number of remaining weeks of payment on your EUC claim.

If you have any questions and you have a claim web account, please send your questions to the UIA's Virtual Problem Resolution Team through the online claim web account portal. To access the portal, please visit www.michigan.gov/uia and click on "UIA Online Services for Unemployed Workers."

If you have questions and have not established a claim web account, please do one of the following:

- Call the UIA Information Hotline at 1-800-638-3995 for pre-recorded information about EUC (available 24 hours a day, seven days a week).
- Call UIA Customer Service at 1-866-500-0017, which is available from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., ET, Monday through Friday. For TTY services, please call 1-866-366-0004.
- Visit one of the UIA Problem Resolution Offices (PRO), which are located in Detroit, Gaylord, Grand Rapids, Lansing, Mt. Clemens, Marquette, Muskegon and Saginaw. Visit www.michigan.gov/uia to access specific locations.

Please note that this form was created to inform you of changes to the federal EUC program. It is not a determination of eligibility for unemployment benefits.

The agencies listed below may be able to assist you when your unemployment benefits end:

Health Care Resources

- Visit www.healthcare4mi.com or phone 1-888-988-6300.
 - MIChild is a health insurance program available to uninsured children of Michigan families.
 - Healthy Kids is a health care program for pregnant women, babies and children under 19.

Family Support, Housing Assistance and Health Care

- Visit the Helping Hand Website at www.michigan.gov/helpinghand

Foreclosure Assistance

- Visit the Michigan State Housing Development Authority website at www.michigan.gov/mshda

Utility Bill Payment Assistance

- Access the Michigan Public Safety Commission website at <http://www.dleg.state.mi.us/mpsc/winterwise/eirectory11.pdf>

Food Assistance, Medical Assistance, Cash Assistance, Emergency Services and Child Care

- Visit the State of Michigan's Bridges Program website at www.mibridges.michigan.gov

Educational Opportunities and Employment Assistance

- Visit the Michigan Works! Agencies website at www.michiganworks.org
- Visit Pure Michigan Talent Connect at www.mitalent.org